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Beautiful Main Street, local shopping promotion in Chamber's mandate

Elk Point Chamber of Commerce meets tomorrow at noon, and discussion of the Chamber's mandate for the coming year will top the agenda.

A Main Street beautification program is just one of the ideas which could help to draw business to the community, as well as making Elk Point a more attractive and pleasant place to live and do business.

The Chamber is considering setting up a 'shop locally' promotion similar to St. Paul's to encourage town and district residents to spend their dollars in Elk Point.

To foster relationships between local businesses, the Chamber will look into the possibility of hosting occasional evening meetings with guest speakers who could offer insight into various business-related topics, as well as meet-and-greet events.

The Chamber will also hear a presentation on the possibility of establishing a food bank in Elk Point.

The meeting goes at 12:00 Noon on Wednesday, April 7 at the Empress Restaurant, and President Rod Randall urges members and potential members, "Please join us. Your opinion needs to be heard."



CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY CHURCH MARKED PALM SUNDAY with their reenactment of the arrival of Jesus in Jerusalem. Wayne Fiddler and Travis Houle led the humble beast of burden carrying a very small King of the Jews (Nolan Vogel) through a crowd of branch-waving believers.

"The disciples went and did as Jesus had directed them; they brought the ass and the colt, and put their garments on them, and He sat thereon. Most of the crowd spread their garments on the road, and others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. And the crowds that went before Him and that followed Him shouted, 'Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!'"

Matthew 21: 6-9



■ Up Front

Quillan Lowry wins 2004 Alex Kurash Memorial award

By Doug Bassett

Review Sports

How do you measure success? If you win the provincial gold, that's certainly success. Even if you don't win the gold, but if you win your zone and then go to the provincial final, that's still success. If you play hard and try your best, that's still success, isn't it? Scoring lots of goals would be success for some, and for some others just staying out of the sin bin would be a success. What's my measuring stick? I would say having a big turnout at the year-end banquet shows us that this was a successful year. And it was an excellent turnout for the Elk Point minor hockey windup dinner and awards. Here's a quick summary of the season.

The Novice Hurricanes, a young team with only three moving up next year, may have not won a lot of games this year, but they had fun and learned some new skills, and they will be featured on T.S.N. for playing

in the Lac La Biche Pond Hockey tournament - a real classic - and competed in the Tim Horton Tim Bit tournament this weekend, more on this later in our regular column. Their tournament funds went to buy new goalie equipment from Cal's Home Hardware, the same people who donated the Gretzky jersey to the Arena. Special thanks to head coach Jason and team manager Kris Ann Jenner, assistant coach Lawrence Ference and U.F.A. for providing new jerseys, Allan Loughran and all the other parents.

Here's the biggest minor hockey success story of the year. The Atom Avalanche, from rags to riches, they started the season with 6 or 8 players, almost folded the team, voted to continue, even though some felt they couldn't, scrounged up enough to make a team, then won the zone and their league. Raven Quinney and Tori Becker summed it up best when they thanked head coach Mike Rainey

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ALEX KURASH AWARD WINNER QUILLAN LOWRY is congratulated by retiring Minor Hockey Association secretary Darlene Kozicky, outgoing president Geoff Bishop and master of ceremonies Doug Bassett at the March 27 windup banquet.

community NEWS

REACH's idea becomes reality as Elk Point forms new Community Support Services Department

After two years in the making, The Reach Corporation is pleased to see a Community Support Services Department being established in the Town of Elk Point. REACH presented the idea of this type of department to the town administra-

tor nearly two years ago. With the support of CAO Myron Goyan and Mayor Lyle Frisby, the idea was pursued further. The goal of such a project was to build community capacity within the Town of Elk Point. At their meeting on March 8, Town

Council passed the resolution to form the Community Support Services Department.

The purpose of the Department will be to provide limited financial assistance to local non-profit organizations whose activities and programs result in benefits to the Town of Elk Point. Sources of funding will be from charitable donations, both corporate and private, as well as fundraising projects. Donors will create a permanent source of funding for local recreation and multicultural activities.

Groups operating within the Town of Elk Point will be able to apply for extra funding through the Community Support Services Department. A board of directors will decide how to distribute the funds that are available. The board will consist of the Town's mayor, the

chief administrative officer, and representatives from the banking, business, recreation, youth and senior communities. Representatives from the RCMP and The REACH Corporation will also serve on the board of directors.

The REACH Corporation and the Town of Elk Point see many benefits from the Department being established. "This provides an opportunity for local donors who wish to

contribute to the community. Further, this is a vehicle to make and build capacity within the community to address local needs and opportunities," says REACH manager Dick Millar. Millar has been working on this project since the idea stage and is happy to see it come to fruition. He sees many benefits of establishing the Community Support Services Department. The department will encourage local self reliance,

funds will stay in the community to meet local needs, support community projects in a variety of areas, and may assist community organizations by replacing government funding and grants that have been substantially reduced or are no longer available.

An official kick-off for the project is expected to take place in the near future. Millar and Goyan state that the Department will "strive to continually improve our skills as grant makers", making a visible and lasting difference in our community through a granting program that is balanced, flexible, creative and responsive. "This is something The REACH Corporation is extremely proud to be a part of."

NOTICE

is hereby given that a

MEETING OF THE ELECTORS OF The County of St. Paul No. 19

will be held at the

County Public Works Shop, St. Paul
North of the King's Motel

Tuesday, April 13, 2004 - 4:00 pm

**FOR THE DISCUSSION OF THE
2003 AFFAIRS OF THE COUNTY**

The financial statement and auditor's report will be made available at the April 13, 2004 Annual Meeting.

P. KIM HEYMAN
Chief Administrative Officer
Phone 645-3301

CRIME STOPPERS

Break-in at Laurier Lake

Sometime during the morning hours of March 27, 2004, a residence on Poplar Drive in the Laurier Lake area was broken into an a number of items were stolen. Suspect(s) appear to have walked from the road behind the house up an embankment and onto the property. Entry was forcibly gained through the front door. Items stolen include a 32 inch RCA TV, a silver Panasonic DVD/CD home theatre system and a number of food items.

Anyone with information is asked to call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS (8477) or the Elk Point RCMP Detachment at (780) 724-3964.

Crime Stoppers will pay up to \$200 for information leading to the arrest of the person(s) responsible for this or any other crime. You do not have to reveal your identity and if your tip leads to an arrest you qualify for an award.

Early deadline

Due to the Good Friday holiday, deadline for news and advertising for the April 13 issue will be 4 p.m. Wednesday, April 7.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Have a wonderful and safe Easter long weekend, everyone.

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community NEWS

Connie's Healing Garden will bloom again

By Denise Bjorkman
Review Contributor

With the warming trend of late, it seems that our thoughts are turning to spring and our need to nurture Mother Earth blossoms. We hope that you will choose to cloak Her in sweet peas from Connie's Healing Garden and sow the seeds for a cancer cure.

For those readers who are unfamiliar with our program, here is our story:

Connie (Nelson) Smereka was a vibrant young woman, who loved to laugh, enjoyed the outdoors, adored her nephew, and found contentment in growing her garden and nurturing her flowers. She was a warm, loving, caring individual.

In her early 30s, Connie was told she had breast cancer. She fought valiantly through rounds of chemotherapy and radiation. The treatments ravaged her body each time, but

never her spirit. After five years of fighting the cancer that started in her breast, the disease spread first to her spine, then lungs, and finally her brain. Throughout it all, almost to the very end, whenever she was asked how she felt her response was, "Oh, not bad." In reality, her battle was torture and no one who witnessed it was left untouched by her courage and strength of spirit.

During her final months it was important to her that her garden and flowers were planted. One of Connie's requests was to plant her sweet peas along the south side of her home where they would thrive and she could enjoy their scent. That spring she also told her sister that she was afraid of being forgotten. Angie assured Connie that her memory would live on in each of us.

Connie knew that her time was short and she also spoke of helping

others with cancer by creating a fundraising event. Family and friends fulfilled her final wish. Connie's Healing Garden was conceived and became reality. The Community Lions of Elk Point and members of her family packaged and sold wildflower seeds. Before her death, Connie was told that over \$6000 was raised and forwarded to the Canadian Breast Cancer Foundation - Alberta/NWT Chapter. Connie's wish was fulfilled with the support of family, friends and the community who were aware of her fight. Connie relinquished her struggle on August 10, 2001, surrounded by her loved ones.

Last year, the Community Lions of Elk Point and her family packaged and sold sweet pea seeds in her memory. All proceeds were forwarded to: The Canadian Cancer Society - Alberta/NWT Division, The Canadian Breast Cancer Found-

ation - Alberta /NWT Chapter, and The Alberta Cancer Foundation - Cross Cancer Institute. Again this year, these three organizations, dedicated to finding a cure for cancer, will benefit from the sale of Connie's sweet pea seeds.

You can help these organizations by purchasing a package of sweet pea seeds this spring. Seeds can be found at local outlets for \$2.00 per package. Those who purchase seeds are encouraged to fill out the form that accompanies the package and leave it at the outlet. This form will indicate to us which of the above organizations you wish to see your purchase help. If you wish to make a donation, above and beyond the purchase of your package, please indicate the amount on the form. All donation amounts are welcome and will be forwarded to the organization of your choice.

Special thanks to

those who made the donation of materials and seeds so that ALL proceeds go directly to The Canadian Cancer Society - Alberta/NWT Division, The Canadian Breast Cancer Foundation - Alberta/NWT Chapter, and The Alberta Cancer Foundation - Cross Cancer Institute. These donors are: McKenzie Seeds, Staples Lloydminster, F. G. Miller High School and the Community Lions of Elk Point.

Connie will never be forgotten by her family, nor by those she touched during the short time with us. Connie wanted her memory and those of others taken by cancer to live on. Help us fulfill her wish by planting

sweet pea seeds this spring in honor of someone in your life who has been touched by this terrible disease.

You can find our seeds at the following outlets: the Elk Point Health Center, Cal's Home Hardware, Capitol Drugs, Stedmans, Hometown Grocers, Elk Point Co-op, Magic Pizza, F. G. Miller High School, and Woody's Trophy and Gifts.

The cure is out there. With every dollar, we are one step closer to eradicating cancer. We hope that you will purchase a package in honor of a loved one, plant its seeds, nurture the seedlings and enjoy the fragrance of sweet peas blooming in your garden this summer.

CRIME STOPPERS

Suspects identified in vehicle vandalism

Between March 31 and April 1, 2004, two vehicles in the town of Elk Point had the back windows smashed. Police believe the damage was caused by a pellet gun or similar firearm. The vehicles were parked in the Buckingham House area.

Suspects have been identified regarding this

and other crimes from the Elk Point and Bonnyville areas and the investigations are continuing.

Anyone with any information regarding this or any other crime is asked to contact the RCMP in Elk Point at (780) 724-3964 or Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS (8477).

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Elk Point Insurance & Realty

Welcomes a new member to our sales team,
Mr. Don Conrad



Don is a community minded individual who has worked in the Elk Point Elementary School for thirty three years as a teacher and school administrator. Through his career in the education field he has a proven record of commitment, dedication and honesty which he brings to our business. He is looking forward to serving your real estate needs in the future.

Don can be contacted at:
Office: 724-3926
Home: 724-3785
Cell: 614-0204

We are very pleased to have Don join us at Elk Point Insurance & Realty

Busy weekend for volunteer firefighters

It was anything but a restful weekend for Elk Point Volunteer Fire Department.

Shortly after 3 a.m. Saturday, they accompanied Elk Point RCMP and ambulance to a motor vehicle crash in the Frog Lake area, where they used the Jaws of Life to extricate injured occupants. Four people were taken to Elk Point Health Centre, with the Fire Department again on hand when STARS arrived to transport one patient to Edmonton.

Sunday morning saw the Fire Department back out at Frog Lake again, this time for a house fire, which had been extinguished by the time they arrived. They were called out again Sunday at midnight to a truck fire at a local oilfield company, arriving to find that quick work with a fire extinguisher had taken care of that blaze.



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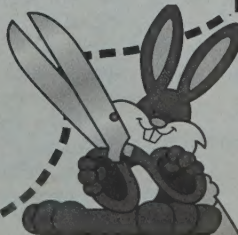


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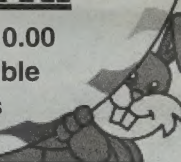
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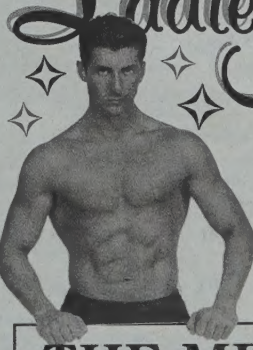
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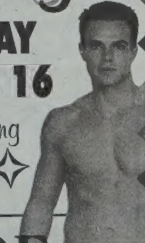
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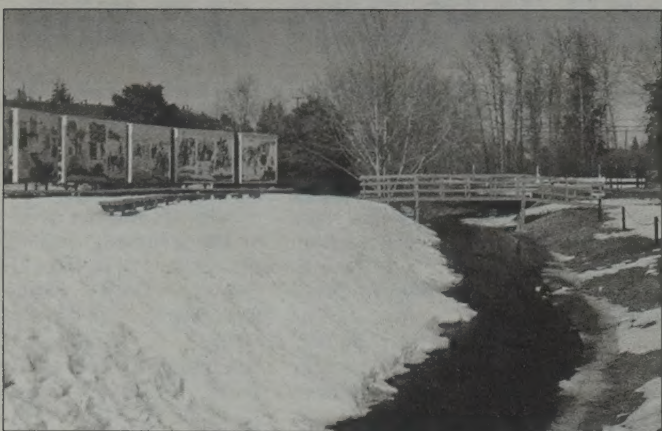
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review VIEWPOINTS



A LOT OF WINTER UNDER THE BRIDGE - Elk Point's snowbanks turned into a rushing creek through Mural Park under bright sunshine and last week's balmy temperatures.

Write On deadline is coming up April 14

Students across the area have just one more week to complete their entries for the 2004 Write On contest sponsored by Alberta Weekly Newspapers Association. Entry deadline is April 14 for entries in the categories of Creative Classifieds, Junior Reporter and Write an Opinion.

Entries may be done in school or on an individual basis, but all entries must be received at the Elk Point Review office by 4:30 p.m. on April 14.

Creative Classifieds is for students in Grades 1 through 3. Students select a classified ad from the Elk Point Review, and must attach that ad to their entry. Using their imagination, students will then write 'the story behind the ad' in 200 words or less. One prize winner will be declared for Grade 1 and one for Grades 2 and 3.

Junior Reporter gives students in Grades 4 through 6 an opportunity to investigate any school-related event, and ask their fellow students questions, opinions and comments about that event, then write a news story of no more than 200 words about the event. They may report on their own comments and thoughts if they wish. One winner will be chosen from all Grade 4 to 6 entries.

Write an Opinion gives students in Grades 7 through 9 an opportunity to express their opinions on a local issue. Choosing an issue which directly affects their own community, students will research the topic, using the local paper and other appropriate sources of information, and write a 100- to 300-word letter to the Editor on that issue. One winner will be chosen from Grade 7 to 9 entries and one from Grade 10 to 12 entries.

Winners at the local level will have their story published in the Elk Point Review. Their entries will then go on to compete at provincial level for cash prizes ranging from \$100 for Creative Classifieds to \$300 for Junior Reporter to \$500 for Write an Opinion.



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20 Years in Review: 1986

Elk Point and District Lions Club celebrated 15 years of service to the community. Businesses protested the Town of Elk Point's decision to sign a non-residential garbage collection contract with Laidlaw Waste Systems... Over 400 vocal farmers packed St. Paul Recreation Centre to pass an Alberta Cow-Calf Association resolution asking for provincial aid for farm operators...

Pan Canadian Petroleum unveiled plans for their new office complex at an open house... World oil prices threatened local projects, resulting in abrupt cutbacks and layoffs... Town Council went ahead with the non-residential garbage contract and signed another for residential garbage pickup...

A land annexation hearing was held regarding one and a half quarter sections of land lying east and north of the industrial subdivision... The Town presented their proposed General Municipal Plan to the public at an open house... Amoco Canada was the first company to shut in all its producing wells in the wake of dropping oil prices...

Farmers pinned their hopes for government support on a tractor trek to the provincial legislature, which ended with a meeting with Provincial Treasurer Lou Hyndman... Approval was given to plans for a \$2.6 million, 30-bed nursing home in Elk Point... Water main and water treatment plant upgrading grants totaling \$344,594.06 were presented to Mayor Ed Buck by MLA John Drobot... Elk Point and District Recreation and Cultural Board voted unanimously to disband in the wake of funding problems... A construction worker died and another was seriously injured when an oil tank exploded at Murphy Oil... Elk Point Heritage Lodge was ready for occupation... MLA John Drobot was returned to government with a sizable majority vote... Glenna Grykuliak was valedictorian for F. G. Miller's Class of 1986...

Elk Point Elks and Royal Purple lodges celebrated their 25th anniversaries... Katherine Mistol was crowned Miss Lakeland 1986...

Minister of Public Works Ernie Isley and MLA John Drobot officially opened the new Elk Point Bridge... The Elk Point Tourist Information Centre was staying put, after a two-hour debate on its relocation... Canada Day festivities moved from the Elks parking lot to north of the A. G. Ross Arena...

Construction got underway on a 3680 sq. ft. expansion of Elk Point Co-op... The North Saskatchewan River came within three feet of flooding Heinsburg and threatened riverside farms west of Elk Point... Elk Point met the world at Expo '86 in Vancouver, where Peter Shostak's paintings of our elevators were part of a revolving mural in the pavilion designed by Elk Point native Gary Andrishak...

Mayor Buck signed an agreement with the province for widening Highway 41 through Elk Point... Elk Point's area would expand by one third, with approval given to annexing 240 acres to the north and east of the current town limits...

The Chamber of Commerce went into hibernation with only the treasurer and secretary to carry out essential duties... Pan Canadian Petroleum officially opened their new office complex... Byron Mann defeated Ed Buck to become Elk Point's new mayor, Allan Frankiw, Sandra Giffin, Marshall Kachmar and Steve Shmyr joining incumbents Alvina Schuhmacher and Steve Stepaniuk on Council...

The Town of Elk Point asked to stay in Vegreville riding at a hearing by the Federal Election Boundaries Commission... The new water treatment plant began production... A natural gas pipeline to reduce truck traffic in the oil patch opened, replacing propane powered motors at about 240 Westmin wells...

Elk Point Baptist congregation rejoiced as their new church was dedicated... A senior citizens transport proposal, using the Elks van, was approved... As the year wound down, Steve Andrishak showed his last picture show at the Arrow Theatre...

Eggshell spreads Easter message

With Easter around the corner, have you ever wondered why eggs are used in our Easter celebrations? For example, for hundreds of years, people in the Ukraine have sent Easter greetings to friends and family by writing on the shell of an egg. In ancient times the people of the Ukraine worshipped the sun. They understood that all living things need the warmth and light that the sun gives us. Eggs seemed like very magical objects to them because each egg had a little 'sun' inside it. We call it the yolk, of course. The Ukrainians used eggs in their religious ceremonies, decorating them with beautiful colors and designs.

About a thousand years ago, many Ukrainians were converted to Christianity. This new religion changed a lot of things in people's lives. But the custom of decorating beautiful eggs in the spring-time was too well loved for the people to give it up, so they changed the meaning of the custom. The egg has always symbolized the miracle of life. Doesn't an egg look more like a rock than like a living plant or animal? Yet out of this dead-looking object comes a living creature! When they heard the story of the Resurrection, people could see another meaning for the miracle of a hatching egg. The

living bird coming out of the egg was a reminder of Jesus' coming out of His tomb on the third day. So the pysanky came to symbolize the Resurrection.



deanna
EASTHOPE
from the FCSS desk

How are the designs on the pysanky made? Perhaps at Easter time you have written your name on an egg with a light-colored crayon before dipping the egg in dye. Then, after the egg was dyed, you could see your name. The wax in the crayon filled up tiny holes in the eggshell so that the dye could not penetrate it there. In making pysanky, the same ideas is used. But instead of crayons, the Ukrainians use a stick with a small metal funnel on one end. The funnel is heated in a candle flame and dipped into beeswax. The liquid wax is then used to draw on the egg. To make the delicate and complex designs of the pysanky, the process of applying wax and dipping in dye is repeated several times. The colors are added in order from lightest to darkest. For a white, red and black egg, the first step is to cover with wax

all parts of the egg that will be white in the final design. The egg is then dipped in red dye. Next, all the red parts of the design are covered with wax, and the egg is dyed black. Finally the wax is melted away and the design can be seen.

What kind of messages did people send each other on pysanky? Many were like the messages we send on greeting cards - wishes for happiness, health and success. Because most of the people could not read, the messages were conveyed in pictures instead of words. Animals such as sheep or horses meant a wish of wealth. Trees stood for long life and strength. Flowers represented love, charity and good will. Even the colors could have meanings: white for purity, red for love and joy, black for eternity. For people who practice the ancient art of pysanky, the egg is a joyful symbol of the Resurrection.

A big thank you to all our Elk Point Ukrainian friends who have shared the above story with us. Now we can give meaning to the use of Easter Eggs in our Easter celebration time. Yes, the egg is a joyful symbol of the Resurrection - a great gift to all of us!



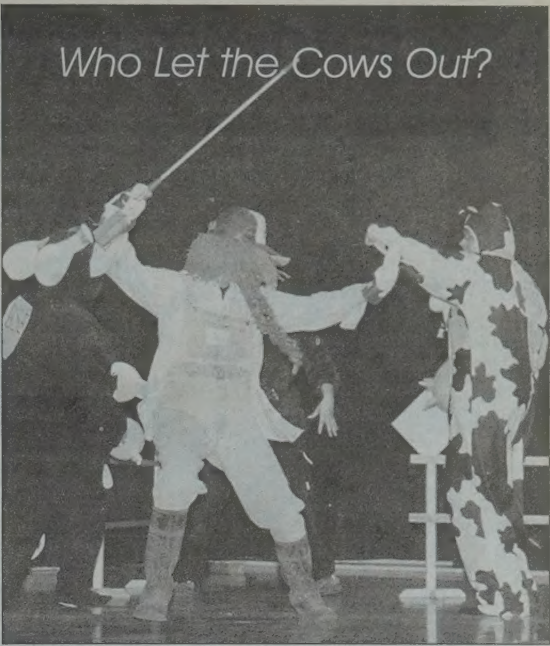
community **NEWS**

Who has more run than teachers?

Elk Point Elementary staff performs for students



Great entertainment by
Sonny and Cher...



Who Let the Cows Out?

All this and two bulky ballerinas added up to an entertaining afternoon for Elk Point Elementary School students last Thursday, as the school staff took to the stage for an afternoon of fun.



Good old ZZ Top...



The Jackson Five...



Outlandish Outcasts...



... and the Rag Heads

Help make Alberta a place
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SPEAK OUT AGAINST FAMILY VIOLENCE AND BULLYING

YOUR VOICE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE

The Alberta Roundtable on Family Violence and Bullying will be held May 7, 2004, to develop recommendations for a violence-free province. **Your voice** is needed. Please give us your thoughts by filling out a questionnaire or entering the contest for youth.

FILL OUT A QUESTIONNAIRE

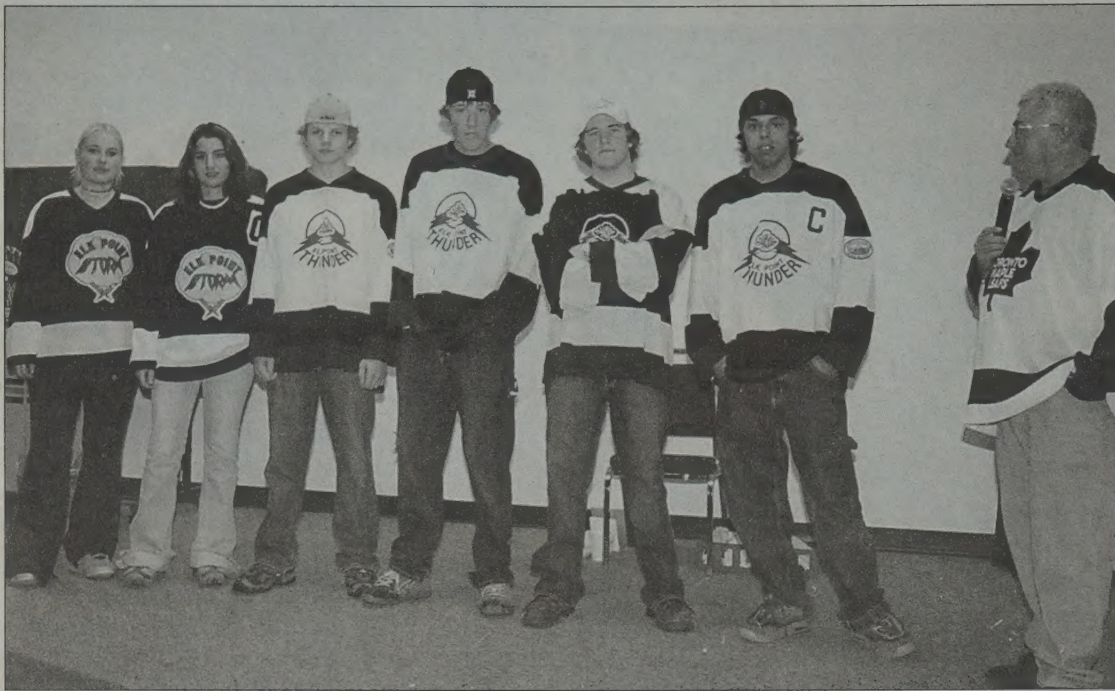
Questionnaires are available across Alberta at your local MLA office, library, police detachment, courthouse, or online at www.familyviolenceroundtable.gov.ab.ca. You can help make Alberta a place where everyone feels safe.

MY ALBERTA: VIOLENCE-FREE A CONTEST FOR YOUNG ALBERTANS

Children and youth between the ages of 5 and 17 are invited to enter an essay or artwork about their vision of a province where violence and bullying do not exist. Eighteen prizes are available and entries will be showcased at the Alberta Roundtable on Family Violence and Bullying. Entry forms are available at www.familyviolenceroundtable.gov.ab.ca or at schools across Alberta.

ALBERTA
ROUNDTABLE ON
**FAMILY
VIOLENCE
AND BULLYING**

Alberta

review **SPORTS****Minor hockey celebrates the end of a great season**

THANKS FOR THE MEMORIES - Doug Bassett thanks retiring Storm players Kristin Campbell and Megan Proskiw (not shown - Kyrie Loughran), and Thunder players Tyson Slywka, Robert Goldsmith, Scott Dallaire and Jesse Kozicky (not shown - Greg Kozicky and Myles Quinney) for many years of entertaining hockey.

manager had their hands full with this bunch. Hey, it wasn't all that bad, they won some games too, and after all it is midget hockey.

Thanks for the memories. As always every year we say goodbye to the veterans leaving our system. Some of them have played here from micro novice and it always a sad day when we say goodbye. Leaving our system are Jesse Kozicky, Greg Kozicky, Myles Quinney, Tyson Slywka, Robert Goldsmith, Scott Dallaire, Kristin Campbell, Kyrie Loughran and Megan Proskiw.

Lets not forget the men in stripes, thanks to the referee-in-chief Mark Woytkiw and his crew, referees Jordan Cousins, the Loughran brothers, Tyler and Dylon, the Schmitt brothers Brodie and John Schmitt and the Dallaire brothers Craig and Scott.

Maybe we should hold a blood clinic, because new blood is needed. Today we say thanks to outgoing minor hockey president Geoff Bishop. His two-year sentence is served and he will be stepping

down. It's not an easy job, but someone has to do it. Communicating, listening to all sides and tough skin is required. Another two important positions to be filled, also stepping down are our treasurer for the last two years, Isabel Myshaniuk, who is willing to train her replacement and our secretary Darlene Kozicky. For Darlene it was an especially sad time, after having three boys play and spending twenty years as a minor hockey mom. Thanks to some others, registrar Sue Campbell, bingo chairperson Tracy Loughran, Barry and Loretta Moores our caretakers, Gary Marцениuk the ice scheduler, and the little beaver, Mr. Fix-it Marshall Myshaniuk.

The evening wrapped up with the Alex Kurash Memorial Award for the most improved peewee player. This year's recipient is a young man who is very worthy of this award. He plays defense, a unsung hero never getting any glory for scoring, a reliable, classy, stay at home defenseman, Quillan "Cowboy" Lowry.

Congratulations on a great season, everyone!

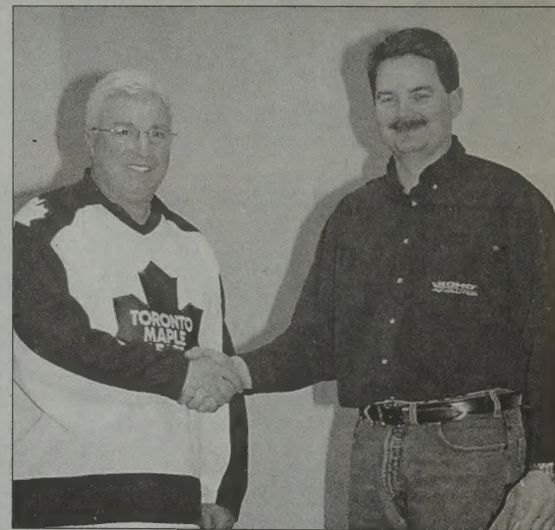
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"Thanks for believing in us and making us believe in ourselves." Also thanks to Mike Rainey's assistants, Roland Moneta and Brent Becker, manager Carrie Becker and Woody's for donating jackets. Not to be outdone, new uniforms for these guys too, thanks to Henry and Betty Roscoe and McEwen Esso.

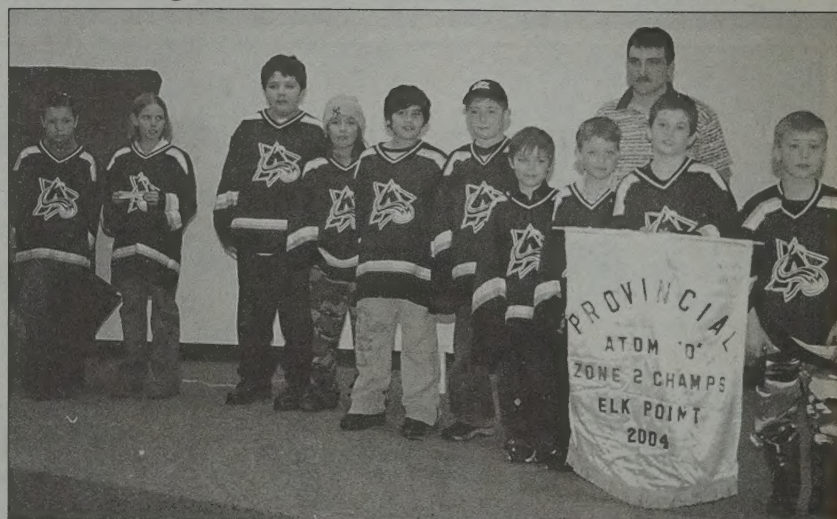
Another story worth telling: the Peewee Avalanche were one overtime goal away from advancing on in the provincials, losing out to a big team from Marwayne. Another highlight was winning the Mallaig tournament. Thanks to head coach Dave Cousins, assistants Geoff Bishop, Jordan Cousins, and manager Gary Marцениuk and all the Dewberry boys and parents for joining the team.

They whined about it a little at first but for the Midget Girls Storm, playing in the tough tier 1 league did make better players out of them, losing to Kitscoty in the final round of provincials by only two goals total. And guess who won the provincial gold? Yes you guessed right, Kitscoty went on and won the gold medal, that's how close the Storm were to becoming provincial champs themselves. There's more to come on the Storm in the April Ice tournament in Calgary a little later. Thanks to head coach George Hahn, assistant Kerry Loughran, manager Sue Campbell and trainer Diane Proskiw.

You better ask your momma if you can play with these boys. Hockey is a tough game played by tough men. The Midget Thunder were known as the bad boys, and head coach Craig Martin, assistant Peter Danyluk, Curtis Croteau, Lynall Slywka and Tracy Loughran as



THANKS FOR A JOB WELL DONE - Doug Bassett congratulates retiring Minor Hockey president Geoff Bishop at the end of his two-year stint.



THE AMAZING ATOM AVALANCHE were Elk Point Minor Hockey's biggest success story of the year, going from a very small beginning to Zone champions.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

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AUCTIONEER'S NOTE: Mr. & Mrs. Buck have sold their property and are moving to Edmonton. All items are in very good condition and there are many more items too numerous to list.

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review SPORTS

Bronze for Midget Girls Storm at Calgary's April Ice

"April showers bring May flowers." True but, how about this one: "April Ice, a tournament so nice, the Midget Storm have played in it twice."

Over 100 teams from all over Canada and the U.S.A. meet every April in Calgary to play in one of the biggest female tournament ever organized. The teams are placed into pools of six, and our girls came home with the Bronze medal in their pool. Playing Brooks in the first game, the girls won 3 to 1, Tellia Loughran with two, Eryl Anton Roberts with a single. In the second game, a close win over Slave Lake 1 to 0, Eryl Anton Roberts scoring assisted by Rosie Jurak, sending them to the semi final game against Macklin, the girls losing this one 3 to 1, Eryl Anton Roberts scoring, Megan Proski assisting.

In the Bronze medal game on Sunday they faced Brooks again, winning this one 4 to 2. Else Anton Roberts with the hot hands got a hat trick, Eryl Anton Roberts the single. Goalie Kristen Campbell was awesome, winning her final minor hockey game. Who said big girls don't cry? After the final game in the dressing room all the girls cried, saying goodbye not only to Kristin Campbell, but also to Megan Proski and Kyrie Loughran who also played their final minor hockey games.

What do Tim Horton's donuts, the Studebaker

and this sportswriter all have in common? They were all born in Hamilton Ontario. The great hockey player Tim Horton started his donut chain, his first outlet opened in Hamilton Ontario in 1972. The Studebaker was produced in Hamilton, Ontario up until its production was ceased in 1964. As for this sportswriter, his birth certificates states, he was born in Hamilton, Ontario sometime in the mid fifties.



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Review Sports

Too bad Tim didn't live long enough to see how great his donut chain caught on all across this great land, or better yet, the Tim Bits Tournament for novice-aged play-

ers. This annual event was started 10 years ago with 10 teams and has grown to 418 teams this year with over 6000 kids playing in it. Each team represents a country in the world, and our Novice Hurricanes were the country of Iran. In their first game they played Oman and won by a big 10 to 3, Skyler Ewasiuk leading the way with four goals, Zachary Ference with a hat trick, Andrew Jenner with two, and Nathan Yarmuch with a single. Brayden Vinge was steady between the pipes. In their second game they lost a very close game to

Guinea 5 to 3, Andrew Jenner lighting it up for two, Ryley "Coyote" Wozniak slipping one past them, and Brayden Vinge getting the call in the cage once again. In their third and final game they defeated Eurovia Island 5 to 0. Andrew Jenner and Skyler Ewasiuk with two each, Matthew Jenner also on the score sheet. Goaltender Nathan Yarmuch slamming the door for the shut out.

Coming up this week. That's it, that's all she wrote, hockey is officially over, except for the N. H. L. playoffs of course, but who cares, now that the Oilers are out, right? O.K. there may be the odd Calgary, or Vancouver, Montreal, Ottawa, or even a Leaf fan out there; otherwise you might as well get outside and enjoy something else.

NEXT ON THE AGENDA: BALL SEASON!

Calling all ball players, ball registration this week Wednesday April 7th from 6.30 to 8.30 at the A. G. Ross Arena. Registration forms are available at both schools or you can contact Lavern Wilson at 724-3878 for more information.

And now for the K. A. Campbell's quote of the week: "When the Stanley Cup is at stake, I can stand any amount of pain." Last week's answer to: "If a tie is like kissing your sister, we can only assume a tie with France is like French-kissing your sister." -sportswriter Bob Kravitz, on Team USA's 4-4 tie with France.

Do you have any scoops? Now you can email them to sportshound007@hotmail.com



JUNIOR CURLERS (left to right) Taylor Jenner, Eric Mosley, Danielle Abraham and Terri White won the 'B' side of the Pigeon Lake Bonspiel.

Junior curlers win "B" at Pigeon Lake

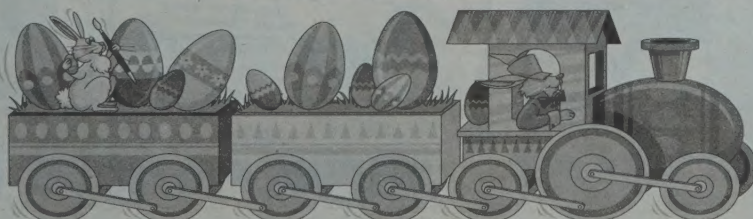
By Eric Mosley
Review Contributor

On February 21, a team from the Elk Point Junior Curling Club with Terri White, Danielle Abraham, Eric Mosley and Taylor Jenner and a fill-in player for one of the other teams, Lindon Nelson, went to Pigeon Lake Bonspiel. Our team lost our first game and won the next. In the end, our skip Terri White had to do a perfect hit-and-run and we won. We were awarded first in the 'B' section.

The Elk Point Junior Curling Club would like to thank the following companies for donating door prizes to our wind-up on March 17: Stedmans, Home Hardware, Apple Drugs, Sears/Northbound 41, Footprints, Kelly's Closet, C and M Crafts, Moonshine Valley Cattle Company, RJK Farms, Wisdom Home Schooling and TD Bank. Thank you. Your donations were greatly appreciated.

Also, the Curling Club would like to thank Sheila Nelson, Jamie Gingrich and Susan MacKinnon for doing a wonderful job teaching us. Thank you.

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Back to the books after spring break

Last week was a smooth, if somewhat reluctant, transition back into the routine of classes and homework.

The Crusader Clarion executive met last Wednesday to plan the publication of this month's paper. They also discussed their upcoming field trip to Edmonton on April 29th. On the trip they will be touring the Edmonton Journals' downtown office and their printing plant. I can hardly wait to see how large-scale media production works. The staff-published Crusader Updater was

also released last week, it was another wonder-



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ful and informative edition that helps students aware of what will be happening over the next month.

Tonight there is a Students Union Meeting after school. The main topic of discussion will be the elections of the new executive. The

transfer of duties will occur in mid-April, after a transitional period of shared duties.

Following the meeting the Class of 2004 will be gathering to discuss the Prom and Grad ceremonies. The ideas that the students agree upon tonight will be present-

ed at the monthly parental meeting on next Tuesday.

Due to Easter there is no school this Friday and the following Monday. We will also have early dismissal at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday. I hope everyone enjoys the weekend, and enjoys the opportunity to spend it with their families.

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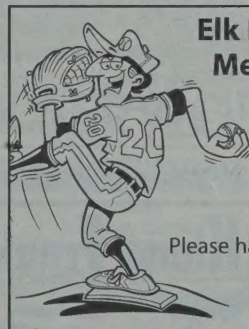
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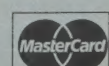
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community **NEWS****Students honored at Lakeland College awards nights**

Five students from Elk Point and surrounding areas were honored at recent awards night ceremonies at Lakeland College campuses in Lloydminster and Vermilion.

At the Vermilion awards night on March 17, **Clyde Diesel** of Derwent was the recipient of the Acklands-Grainger Inc. Award, in the form of a valuable set of tools presented to a journeyman Auto Services Technician on the basis of leadership skills, enthusiasm, contributions to college activities and academic ability.

Former Riverview resident **Benjamin Matthews**, now of Dewberry, received the \$500 Trades

Staff Award for outstanding achievement in his Partsman training.

At the Lloydminster awards night on March 23, **Ian Kossey** of Elk Point accepted the D. George Loxam / CS Resources Limited Memorial Scholarship in the Heavy Oil Operations Technician program, presented to a student who displays maturity, has a strong desire to achieve and excel, possesses strong communication and leadership skills and has a positive attitude. Kossey also qualified for a Lakeland College Recreation Leadership Award.

Taralee Babenek of Elk Point is the recipient of three awards in the

Rehabilitation Services program. The Erling Turner Memorial Award of \$500 was presented for the first time this year, and goes to a recipient who uses knowledge, skills and spirit to enrich the lives of others, actively promotes the inclusion of all people in the community and demonstrates perseverance and determination in their scholastic endeavors and their life. Babenek also received one of the Rehabilitation Pay It Forward Awards which come from a partnership with Arby's Restaurant, in which Rehabilitation students are provided with a fundraising project that funds two awards for the following year.

Recipients must be active in the fundraising project, display a positive attitude, academic achievement and excellent attendance. She also received a Louise McKinney Post-Secondary Scholarship for academic excellence, funded by the Alberta Heritage Scholarship Fund.

Charissa Brown of Elk Point, a student in the University Transfer program, was one of 20 recipients of a Jason Lang Scholarship for academic excellence, funded by the Alberta Heritage Scholarship Fund.

Congratulations go to all these students for their outstanding achievements.

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community NEWS

Easter sunrise over Elk Point

By Rev. Jope Langejans

Elk Point United Church

Easter is a time of hope and a time of newness; it is also a time of togetherness. On this day - considered the most important on the liturgical calendar - Christians in most churches celebrate the resurrection of Christ. 2004 is one of the years where the Gregorian and Julian calendars coincide, meaning that Christians in the Western churches and the Eastern Orthodox churches celebrate Easter on the same day. There is hope in this connectedness as we come ever closer to the things which unite us opposed to the matters which divide us. This is a Resurrection moment - this is the beginning of new possibilities.

Easter is the time where we are encouraged to search deeply into our hearts and to discover those moments of grace which not only bind us together but also strengthens the process of building the kingdom of God upon this earth.

On this day, more than perhaps any other, we are reminded that, in Christ, God has created a new heaven and a new earth. And God continues this new creation in us. We know that countries continue to focus on centuries-old wars whose origins are all but forgotten; we know that children die of hunger all over the globe; we live with vio-



lence, injustice, and fear on a regular basis; even the most optimistic among us have to admit that the light of the new creation is a bit dim in our time - but this Sunday is Easter morning - it's a new sunrise over the world and our community. It is a time to embrace a new day where we can again believe in the possibility that God's new creation can be our reality. The key is to remember that we are called upon as God's people to help make it happen. On that first Easter long ago, God did her part. Are we doing ours?

As you journey through the Holy Week, following are the services and dates/times at Elk Point United Church for those moments where you may need to be:

April 8 - Re-enactment of the Last Supper (Seder Meal) @ 6:00 pm. - This is as close a meal to the authentic Middle-Eastern feast as we can contrive - (Hommous, Tabouli, Lentils & Couscous, Lamb, Moroccan Chicken Stew, Pita Bread, Veggies, Fruits, etc.) Please contact Jope @ 724-3616 if you plan to attend - no charge!

April 9 - Good Friday Service @ 7:30 pm.

April 11 - Easter Sunday Service @ 10:00 am.

If you can not join us in our celebrations, then please search out some of the other denominational services which can be found in this community. You will be welcomed wherever you attend - Happy Easter!

What of the theological implications?

By Pastor Jim MacLellan

Elk Point Baptist Church

The Passion of The Christ has hit the theatres with great success. Mel Gibson ought to be congratulated for his efforts. This film has been inundated by criticism, affirmation, shock, and horror. The timing of its release is impressive. You should try to see it. For many it has been an uplifting experience. For some it has been unforgettable. It is founded upon historical accuracy and riddled with realism. But what of its "theological" implications?

This "God-reaction" to the film is also essential. What's the point otherwise? Where can you and I find the spiritual implications of the Story? You might be shocked and even offended by the next statement but please don't miss it. You may know where to find truth. You may even look at it every day. You may even read it often. But all the experience,

Sunday Gospel services scheduled

Gospel services are being held each Sunday in April from 4 to 5 p.m. at the Elk Point Seniors Recreation Centre.

These services are quiet, reverent, freely given, without obligation, and with messages from the Bible. All are welcome to attend.

education, or intellect in the world cannot help you know truth.

The fact that Jesus even ended up here on this planet is proof that we need an extraordinary precondition to understand truth. This same Jesus whom The Passion is all about, taught that the understanding of truth is dependent upon the state of our nature — our essential being.

Easter Services at Elk Point Christian Community Church

Good Friday Service - April 9, 7 p.m.; Communion service, Pastor Kelly Sibley will be service leader.

Easter Sunday - April 11, 10 a.m.; regular service, John Reed and Family will be service leaders.

Please feel welcome to attend these services.

Perhaps you have heard what Jesus said to an upstanding, moral, well-taught, religious man: "You must be born-again to see the Kingdom of God."

Easter is all about 'new life'. May the 'God-reaction' to the film produce in you a hunger for this new life. It is not a reformation. It is a transformation. It's not religion - it's an alteration. Its evidence

is newness. You may have the desire to see The Passion of The Christ. May God give to us all the desire to experience the passion of Christ. What is that passion? Jesus said, "I have come so that you might have life."

Have a life altering, transforming Easter! God bless you from the pastors and congregation of Elk Point Baptist Church.



Calvary Family Fellowship Ministries

of Elk Point, invites the community to celebrate the

Easter Season

Thursday Service - 6:30 pm
Elk Point Senior Centre

Friday Service - 10:00 am
Elk Point Senior Centre

Sunday Sunrise - 7:30 am
John & Heather Paquette's Home
4806-51 Ave., Elk Point - (Outdoor Service)

Join us for a

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Sunday morning following the Sunrise Service.



Kids are important @ the library

By Daphne Schnurer

Librarian

The library has a great selection of parenting books that will help parents navigate the sometimes difficult and frustrating times of parenthood.

The bestseller "Kids Are Worth It" by Barbara Coloroso offers solid advice on raising children and giving your child the gift of inner discipline.

"Parents in Charge" by Dana Chidekel teaches us how to set healthy, loving boundaries for you and your child. The author puts parents back where they need to be: in charge, listening, learning and adapting to create a long-term relationship.

"When The Kids Are Home From School" by Carol Van Klopen shows ideas and help for summertime, weekends and after school times when parents are at work or away.

Number one national best-seller "Teaching Your Children Values" by Linda and Richard Eyre teaches parents that one of the greatest gifts you can give your children is a strong sense of personal values by helping them develop values such as honesty, dependability and reliance.

And by Dr. James Dobson, "Parenting Isn't For Cowards" and "The Strong-Willed Child". These books teach parents to deal confidently with the frustrations of child-rearing.

"Busy But Balanced" by Mimi Doe covers excellent practical and inspirational ideas to create a calmer, closer family.

"Eating, Sleeping and Getting Up" by Carolyn Crowd shows how to stop the daily battles with your child.

"Empowering Parents" by William and Candace Backer, "How to Raise Obedient Children" and "It's Possible It's Right" are all great reads for you to check out.

Reminder to our seniors:
Seniors Tea today at 2 p.m.

IN MEMORIAM

RADIES, Roy
April 12, 2001

In loving memory of Roy Radies, who passed away April 12, 2001.

It has been three years
Where has the time gone
There are still some days
I think I can't go on
I've done all the "Firsts".
Without you by my side
There are so many changes
Our families have gone through
We'd gladly reverse them all
For one more day with you
An empty space will remain
Our hearts will stay full
Of anger, sorrow and pain
But always still loved
Still missed and very dear
Treasured memories keep you near
Silent thoughts of you and I
Are the memories that still last forever.

Love Betty, Shane, Roy, Lawrences, Shewchuks and Saranchuks.

IN MEMORIAM

RADIES, Roy

In loving memory of Roy Radies, who passed away April 12, 2001.

The moment that you died,
Our hearts split in two,
The one side filled with memories,
The other died with you.
We often lay awake at night,
When the world is fast asleep,
And take a walk down memory lane,
With tears upon our cheeks,
Remembering you is easy,
We do it every day,
But missing you is a heartache,
That never goes away,
We hold you tightly within our hearts,
And there you will remain,
Life has gone on without you,
But it never will be the same,
For those who still have their dads,
Treat him with tender care,
You will never know the emptiness
As when you turn and he is not there.

Love always - your children, son-in-laws, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

CHURCH SERVICES

Elk Point Baptist Church
5705 - 49 St., Elk Point
Pastor Jim MacLellan
Pastor Jason Goulet
Family Worship Service
Sundays - 10 a.m.
Sunday School - 11:15 a.m.
Call 724-4194 for more information
or see our Website:
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St. Vladimirs' Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Elk Point
For service times, call 645-5156,
St. Paul or 724-4351, Elk Point.

United Church of Canada
4822 - 50 Ave., Elk Point
Rev. Jope Langejans, 724-3616
Worship Service - Sunday 10 a.m.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
"Come and be Welcomed -
Come and Be Nurtured"

Calvary Family Fellowship Ministry
Pastor Jerry Richards
Sunday Worship 10 a.m.
Monday Prayer & Bible Study 7 p.m.
Phone 724-4991 or 724-2961 for
worship time or location.

Christian Community Church of Elk Point
53 St. and Railway Avenue
Phone 724-2493
Our Aim:
"To Know, Apply and Share the
Power of Christ"
Worship Service - Sunday 10 a.m.
Sunday School - 10 a.m.

St. Michael's Roman Catholic Church
Fr. Nong (645-3277 or 724-3170)
Sundays: Mass 11:30 a.m.
1st Tuesday of the month: 4 p.m.
Mass at Extended Care
1st Friday of the month: 7 p.m.
Mass followed by Holy Hour/Benediction
Fridays: Bible Study 7:30 p.m.
Confessions: Before and after
Mass and upon request

Bethel Lutheran Church of Lea Park
Weekly Services, 10:30 a.m.
Holy Communion 2nd and 3rd
Sundays

Bible Fellowship Church Clandonald
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Sunday at 11 a.m.



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1 AUCTION

MEIER 2-DAY Classic Car and Truck Auction - Sat. May 1 and Sun. May 2, 3420 - 74 Ave., Edmonton. Large selection already listed. Memorabilia, vendors and exhibitors welcome. To consign, call 780-440-1860.

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2 AUTO

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"Our producers need to be assured that they have access to secure, long-term water supplies to help protect their operations from drought conditions," said Shirley McClellan, Deputy Premier and Minister of AAFRD. "Providing them with pumping equipment at reduced rates gives them the opportunity to get this done."

Reducing water pumping equipment rental rates will allow producers to take advantage of spring run-off, ensuring they have adequate water supplies going into the 2004 growing season.

Last year, about 400 clients took advantage of the program and pumped an estimated 1.4-million cubic meters of water into dugouts and other holding facilities.

To obtain information and application forms for the Water Pumping Equipment Program, producers can contact AAFRD at 422-5000, or through Ropin' the Web at www.agric.gov.ab.ca. Producers can call toll-free by first dialing 310-0000.

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

Evergreen Regional Waste Management Services Commission

Evergreen Regional Class II Landfill Contract 3 -- Buildings, Design-Build Contract

SEALED TENDERS, clearly marked "Evergreen Regional Class II Landfill, Contract 3 -- Buildings, Design-Build Contract", will be received until 1:00 pm local time on Wednesday, April 21, 2004 at the office of the County of St. Paul at the following address:

5015-49 Avenue, St. Paul, AB., T0A 3A4

The project is for the construction of a weigh scale and buildings at the Evergreen Regional Class II Landfill in W-1/2 16-56-10-W4. The following is a brief description of the major components of the work:

- * Scale - 14-ft. x 100-ft. weigh bridge with electronic load sensors and computer hardware and software system.
- * Scalehouse - 20-ft. x 28-ft. with full concrete basement
- * Equipment Maintenance Building - 34-ft. x 60-ft. pre-engineered metal framed building, heated and insulated with concrete pile and grade beam foundation, slab-on-grade concrete floor and metal siding and roof.
- * Equipment Storage Shed - 20-ft. x 40-ft. metal framed building, heated and insulated with temporary foundation and gravel floor.
- * Attendant Building - 10-ft. x 12-ft. heated and insulated and supported on skids.
- * Related plumbing, heating, mechanical, electrical, finishing and site works.

Conceptual Plans and Specifications including requirements may be obtained from the County of St. Paul or Omni-McCann Consultants Ltd. upon payment of a non-refundable deposit of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) by a certified cheque made payable to Omni-McCann Consultants Ltd.

A Performance Guarantee and Maintenance Bond in the amount equal to Fifty Percent (50%) of the Contract Sum and a Labour and Materials Payment Bond in an amount equal to Fifty Percent (50%) of the Contract Sum will be required from the successful Contractor. Proposals must be accompanied by a certified cheque or bid bond in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the proposed price, payable to Evergreen Regional Waste Management Services Commission. **Bidders must have an accredited safety program (COR or TLC) in place prior to the deadline for receipt of Tenders in order to be considered.**

Proposals received via facsimile machine will not be accepted. The Owner reserves the right to accept the proposal which, in the Owner's sole discretion, best provides for the needs of the Owner and/or the best value to the Owner. The lowest or any proposal will not necessarily be accepted.

Inquiries regarding this project shall be directed to:

Omni-McCann Consultants Ltd.
2404-96 Street, Edmonton, AB., T6N 1J8
Ph: (780) 435-1154 / Fax (780) 435-2066
Attn: Royce Sather, R.P.T. (Eng.)

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"C" EVENT WINNERS - (back, left to right) Stella Lorensen, Jenny McDonald, Terrie Donaldson and Erin Donaldson won their final game over (front, left to right) Willie Lesyk, Real Fontaine, Kelly Rinas and Dale Rinas.

Who has more fun than curlers???



"B" EVENT WINNERS were (back, left to right) Kristen Goad, Leanne Harasiuk, Stacey Harasiuk-Adams and Leith Harasiuk, who defeated (front, left to right) Mark Ference, Dennell Anderson, Stacey Fontaine and Bonnie Robinson in their final game.



"D" EVENT WINNERS were (back, left to right) Grayson Bilak, Mark Ference and Stephen Kozina, with (front, left to right) Terri Breen, Mike Breen, Rory Brady and Melissa Breen taking second place. A total of 16 rinks took part, with some curlers playing on more than one team for double the fun.

Curling league declares their 2003-2004 champions



LEAGUE CURLING'S "A" SIDE CHAMPS were (back row, left to right) Curtis Porcina, Robyn Moroziuk, Myrna Lypowy and Terri Breen, who won last Monday's final game of the year over (front row, left to right) Real Fontaine, Ken Ference, Mark Ference and Leanne Ference.



LEAGUE CURLING "B" CHAMPIONS - (back row, left to right) Lane Lorensen, Stella Lorensen, Jenny McDonald and Terrie Donaldson won the "B" final, with second place going to (front, left to right) Yvon Fontaine, Real Fontaine, Jessica King and Stacey Fontaine.

Another successful season has come to an end - see you all in the fall!